

CCRB INVESTIGATIVE RECOMMENDATION

Investigator: Raquel Velasquez	Team: Squad #10	CCRB Case #: 201800990	<input type="checkbox"/> Force	<input type="checkbox"/> Discourt.	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S.
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> O.L.	<input type="checkbox"/> Injury
Incident Date(s) Sunday, 01/28/2018 12:05 AM	Location of Incident: § 87(2)(b)	Precinct: 48	18 Mo. SOL 7/28/2019	EO SOL 7/28/2019	
Date/Time CV Reported Tue, 01/30/2018 9:13 AM	CV Reported At: IAB	How CV Reported: Phone	Date/Time Received at CCRB Mon, 02/05/2018 11:09 AM		
Complainant/Victim	Type	Home Address			
Subject Officer(s)	Shield	TaxID	Command		
1. POM Yaowen Liu	00732	960812	048 PCT		
Witness Officer(s)	Shield No	Tax No	Cmd Name		
1. POM Eric Liang	13411	960806	048 PCT		
Officer(s)	Allegation			Investigator Recommendation	
A.POM Yaowen Liu	Abuse: Police Officer Yaowen Liu refused to provide his shield number to § 87(2)(b)				

Case Summary

On January 30, 2018, § 87(2)(b) called IAB and filed this complaint.

On January 28, 2018, at approximately 12:05 a.m., Police Officer Eric Liang, Police Yaowen Liu, and additional officers from the 48th Precinct responded to a call regarding an assault-in-progress at § 87(2)(b) in the Bronx. § 87(2)(b) husband, § 87(2)(b), accused § 87(2)(b) of assault. § 87(2)(b) was subsequently arrested. § 87(2)(b) who suffers from multiple medical conditions, soiled herself. An ambulance was called and § 87(2)(b) was removed to § 87(2)(b). § 87(2)(b) allegedly asked PO Liu for his shield number approximately five to six times. PO Liu allegedly ignored § 87(2)(b) requests (**Allegation A: Abuse of Authority- Refusal to provide shield number,** § 87(2)(g)

§ 87(2)(b) was arrested and charged with § 87(2)(b)

(Board Review 01).

There is no video evidence for this case.

Findings and Recommendations

Allegation A: Abuse of Authority- Police Officer Yaowen Liu refused to provide his shield number to § 87(2)(b)

§ 87(2)(b) stated that she left her apartment and went to the lobby to check her mailbox. § 87(2)(b) entered the lobby and saw multiple officers, including PO Liang and PO Liu, surrounding her husband, § 87(2)(b). § 87(2)(b) stated, “There she goes right there.” Officers told § 87(2)(b) that § 87(2)(b) said she assaulted him and wanted her arrested. PO Liu handcuffed § 87(2)(b). As § 87(2)(b) was escorted out of the apartment building, she urinated and soiled herself. The officers called for an ambulance and § 87(2)(b) was transported to § 87(2)(b) l. PO Liu remained with § 87(2)(b) in the hospital. PO Liang left. § 87(2)(b) was given a pair of scrubs and was transported to Bronx Central Booking. Bronx Central Booking refused to admit § 87(2)(b) and she was then removed to § 87(2)(b). § 87(2)(b) was given medication to treat seizures and diabetes. She was then taken back to Bronx Central Booking. It was addressed that, in her phone statement to the CCRB (**Board Review 02**), § 87(2)(b) alleged she had asked the officers for their shield numbers and they refused to provide it. § 87(2)(b) stated that this request occurred while she was sitting in the emergency room waiting area at § 87(2)(b). PO Liu remained with § 87(2)(b). PO Liang had left and was not present during the requests. § 87(2)(b) asked PO Liu for his shield number approximately five to six times. PO Liu stood or walked back and forth, and ignored § 87(2)(b) requests. A nurse heard § 87(2)(b) request and wrote down PO Liu’s shield number for § 87(2)(b) (**Board Review 03**).

PO Liang stated that he and PO Liu responded to a radio run regarding an assault-in-progress at the incident location. PO Liang approached § 87(2)(b) in the lobby. § 87(2)(b) had a scratch on his nose and stated that § 87(2)(b) struck him with a stick. § 87(2)(b) approached the lobby and § 87(2)(b) identified her as the perpetrator. § 87(2)(b) stated something along

the lines of, "I'm calling IAB on you guys. What is your name?" PO Liang stated his name, shield number, and command. § 87(2)(b) then looked over at PO Liu and PO Liu also stated his name, shield number, and command. § 87(2)(b) looked at PO Liang and attempted to pronounce his name, but she was not able to so she looked back at PO Liu and said, "I'll definitely remember you. A lot easier to remember. Officer Liu. 732." § 87(2)(b) was handcuffed and escorted outside. § 87(2)(b) stated something along the lines of, "I shat myself." § 87(2)(b) pants were soiled so PO Liang called for an ambulance. PO Liu escorted § 87(2)(b) to § 87(2)(b) in the ambulance. PO Liang drove the patrol vehicle. They arrived simultaneously. § 87(2)(b) continued to state, "I'm calling IAB on you guys." PO Liang told § 87(2)(b) "Ma'am, you already have our information," and he provided it again without § 87(2)(b) requesting the information. PO Liang did not recall § 87(2)(b) asking for his or PO Liu's name and shield number at the hospital. PO Liang left the hospital and went to the 48th Precinct stationhouse to process the arrest. He returned to the hospital shortly after when § 87(2)(b) was ready to be discharged. § 87(2)(b) stared at PO Liang and PO Liu and stated, "Liu. 732, I'll definitely remember you." § 87(2)(b) was transported to the 48th Precinct stationhouse and then to Bronx Central Booking (**Board Review 04**).

§ 87(2)(g) PO Liu did not understand everything that was said due to a language barrier on PO Liu's behalf. PO Liang told § 87(2)(b) that she was under arrest. PO Liang told § 87(2)(b) "I'm the arresting officer. Officer Liang. Shield number 13411 from the 48th Precinct, and that's my partner. Officer Liu. Shield number 732." § 87(2)(b) looked at the officers and said, "Oh I'll remember you. 732. Officer Lou." PO Liu responded, "I'm Officer Liu, not Lou." § 87(2)(b) did not ask PO Liu for his name or shield number. He did not recall if § 87(2)(b) asked PO Liang for his name or shield number. At § 87(2)(b), § 87(2)(b) stated that she did not want medical treatment and that she wanted to continue the arrest process. § 87(2)(b) yelled out, "732. I'll remember your shield number. 732." § 87(2)(b) did not ask PO Liu or PO Liang for their names or shield numbers while at § 87(2)(b). Throughout the incident, § 87(2)(b) stated that she was going to file a complaint with IAB and the CCRB (**Board Review 05**).

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Civilian and Officer CCRB Histories

- § 87(2)(b) has filed two other CCRB complaints (**Board Review 06**):
 - § 87(2)(b)
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- PO Liu has been a member of service for two years and has been a subject in one other CCRB complaint and one allegation that was substantiated. Case no. 201705115 involved an allegation of refusal to provide name and shield number. The Board recommended formalized training and the NYPD issued instructions.

Mediation, Civil and Criminal Histories

- § 87(2)(b) declined to mediate this complaint.
- As of May 25, 2018, the New York City Office of the Comptroller has no record of a Notice of Claim being filed in regards to this complaint (**Board Review 07**).
- [§ 87(2)(b)] [§§ 86(1)(3)&(4)] [§ 87(2)(c)]
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